

234.1 Definitions.

As used in [this chapter](#), unless the context otherwise requires:

1. “*Administrator*” means the administrator of the division.
2. “*Child*” means either a person less than eighteen years of age or a person eighteen, nineteen, or twenty years of age who meets all of the following conditions:
 - a. The person was placed by court order issued pursuant to [chapter 232](#) in foster care or in an institution listed in [section 218.1](#) and either of the following situations apply to the person:
 - (1) After reaching eighteen years of age, the person has remained continuously and voluntarily under the care of an individual, as defined in [section 237.1](#), licensed to provide foster care pursuant to [chapter 237](#) or in a supervised apartment living arrangement, in this state.
 - (2) The person aged out of foster care after reaching eighteen years of age and subsequently voluntarily applied for placement with an individual, as defined in [section 237.1](#), licensed to provide foster care pursuant to [chapter 237](#) or for placement in a supervised apartment living arrangement, in this state.
 - b. The person has demonstrated a willingness to participate in case planning and to complete the responsibilities prescribed in the person’s case permanency plan.
 - c. The department has made an application for the person for adult services upon a determination that it is likely the person will need or be eligible for services or other support from the adult services system.
3. “*Division*” or “*state division*” means that division of the department of human services to which the director has assigned responsibility for income and service programs.
4. “*Food assistance program*” means the benefits provided through the United States department of agriculture program administered by the department of human services in accordance with [7 C.F.R. pts. 270 – 283](#).
5. “*Food programs*” means the food stamp and donated foods programs authorized by federal law under the United States department of agriculture.

[C71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, S81, §234.1; [81 Acts, ch 7, §11](#)]

[83 Acts, ch 96, §160](#); [86 Acts, ch 1245, §1419](#); [92 Acts, ch 1229, §20](#); [93 Acts, ch 54, §3](#); [2008 Acts, ch 1073, §1](#); [2009 Acts, ch 41, §263](#); [2022 Acts, ch 1096, §2](#)

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